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#### REMARKS

Applicant notes that applicant's city name should be corrected to read "Neve-Savyon" (instead of "Nave-Savyna".)

Applicant respectfully requests a corrected filing receipt in compliance with the declaration as filed.

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Respectfully submitted, Assaf DEKEL

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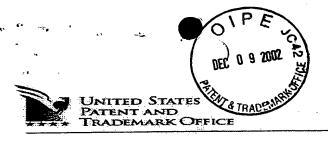
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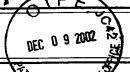
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